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Entitled: Methods and Compositions  
For Regulating Gut Motility  
and Food Intake

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Sir:

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[X] A fee for additional claims is not required.

[ ] A fee for additional claims is required. The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

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TOTAL CLAIMS	31	31	0	× \$--	= 0.00
INDEPENDENT	12	12	0	× \$--	= 0.00
FIRST INTRODUCTION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM				+ \$---	= 0.00
<b>TOTAL FEES DUE</b>					<b>= 0.00</b>

[ X ] Small entity status has already been established for Applicant(s) in this case.

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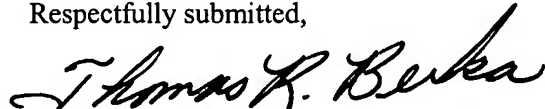
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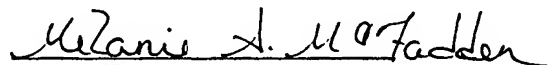


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